

Coastal Valleys EMS Agency

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Re: Angwin EMT-II Modular Trial Study
Formerly called: Angwin EMT-I Advanced Scope of Practice Trial Study

Dear Mr. Watson:

Attached you will find a copy of the 18-Month Report on the Angwin EMT-II Modular Trial Study. This was formerly called the Angwin EMT-I Advanced Scope of Practice Trial Study.

In this report we present an overview of the implementation, operation, results, as well as our future recommendations for the Angwin EMT-II Modular Trial Study project. The report will show that although only a small number of patients received Advanced Scope interventions during the trial study period, some patients did receive a significant benefit. The report will also show that due to the dedication of Angwin Community Ambulance and strong community support for the project, the Advanced Scope program was successfully instituted and maintained with little outside assistance.

After thoroughly reviewing the results of the advanced scope project, it is our recommendation that the Angwin EMT-II Modular Trial Study be approved for continuation of an additional 18 months.

Thank you for the assistance you and your staff have provided with this project, and for your consideration of our recommendations.

Sincerely,

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